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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the documents are enclosed, along with English Abstracts.

These documents may be pertinent because they were cited in a Search Report issued in a counterpart Japanese Patent Application on April 5, 2005. A copy of the Search Report is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

FORMAL MATTERS

No fee is due in connection with this paper since it is being submitted within 3 months of the filing date.

CONCLUSION

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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